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Title: ENCRYPTION APPARATUS, DECRYPTION APPARATUS, AND AUTHENTICATION  
INFORMATION ASSIGNMENT APPARATUS, AND ENCRYPTION METHOD, DECRYPTION  
METHOD, AND AUTHENTICATION INFORMATION ASSIGNMENT METHOD

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- ☒ Application for Patent including Specification (29 pages) and Drawings (8 sheets)
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